

2004 WHEAT VARIETIES

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Top wheat varieties in Oregon for 2004

With 40.4 percent of the total planted acreage, Stephens continued to be the leading wheat variety in Oregon, a spot that it has held since 1979. Alpowa, at 10 percent of the planted acreage, took over second place from Madsen, which dropped to third with 7.3 percent. Weatherford and Gene rounded out the top five with 6.1 and 4.1 percent of the total planted acreage, respectively. Four of the top five wheat varieties planted were soft white winter wheat. Alpowa was the lone soft white spring wheat variety.

County level estimates were made for 22 varieties and mixture in the publication. Varieties with less than 5,000 total acres and counties with less than 1,000 acres of wheat were not estimated.

The estimates given in this publication are the results of a survey conducted by the Oregon Agricultural Statistics Service. Funding for the survey is provided by the Oregon Wheat Commission. This report would not be possible without the cooperation of the hundreds of farmers and ranchers that participated in this survey.

Percent of acreage by District^{1/}

Northwest ^{2/}		
Variety	% of total	
	2003	2004
Foote	42.8	43.4
Madsen	30.3	25.5
Malcolm	4.5	5.4
Stephens	2.6	5.1
Alpowa	3.3	4.7
Yamhill	2.4	3.4
Dirkwin	3.1	3.0
Penewawa	7.4	1.9
Foote-Madsen*	--	1.5
Hill 81	0.9	1.2
Other	2.7	4.9
Planted Acres	58,000	89,500

North Central ^{2/}		
Variety	% of total	
	2003	2004
Stephens	36.7	40.5
Alpowa	8.4	11.5
Weatherford	9.3	11.3
Gene	12.6	6.5
Madsen-Stephens *	4.1	5.9
Madsen	3.8	5.4
Coda	1.8	3.2
Penawawa	2.9	3.2
Madsen-Stephens-Weatherford*	7.4	2.5
Jefferson	0.5	1.2
Stephens-Weatherford*	2.1	1.2
Other	10.3	7.6
Planted Acres	594,000	533,000

Northeast ^{2/}		
Variety	% of total	
	2003	2004
Stephens	59.7	47.9
Alpowa	1.8	7.6
Madsen	10.0	7.1
Clearfirst	--	5.5
Tubbs	--	5.1
Coda	2.2	4.3
Mac 1	3.3	3.2
Gene	0.2	2.1
Madsen-Rod*	1.7	1.8
Rod-Stephens*	0.8	1.7
Madsen-Stephens*	5.3	1.2
Buchanan	--	1.0
Hank	0.4	1.0
Other	14.6	10.5
Planted Acres	406,000	357,000

Southwest ^{2/}		
Variety	% of total	
	2003	2004
Yamhill	20.0	31.4
Stephens	30.0	25.7
Foote	50.0	20.0
Penawawa	--	14.3
Albion	--	5.7
Madsen	--	2.9
Planted Acres	1,000	3,500

Southeast ^{2/}		
Variety	% of total	
	2003	2004
Stephens	58.0	47.8
Alpowa	11.0	17.5
Yecora Rojo	7.8	9.6
Westbred 936	0.8	4.0
Brundage	3.5	3.4
Basin	4.9	2.4
Hank	0.4	2.2
Yamhill	2.9	2.2
Penawawa	1.6	2.1
Nick	--	1.3
Chalis	--	1.2
Other	9.1	6.0
Planted Acres	51,000	67,000

* Denotes mixtures.

^{1/} Preliminary 2004 planted acreage estimates.

^{2/} NW: Benton, Clackamas, Clatsop, Columbia, Lane, Lincoln, Linn, Marion, Multnomah, Polk, Tillamook, Washington, Yamhill. NC: Gilliam, Hood River, Morrow, Sherman, Wasco. NE: Baker, Umatilla, Union, Wallowa. SW: Coos, Curry, Douglas, Jackson, Josephine. SE: Crook, Deschutes, Grant, Harney, Jefferson, Klamath, Lake, Malheur, Wheeler.

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Wheat: 2004 Acres planted by variety, by county ^{1/}

Variety by class	Baker	Benton	Clackamas	Crook	Gilliam	Jefferson	Klamath	Lane	Linn	Malheur	Marion
Soft white winter											
Stephens	200	200	--	--	33,600	2,400	2,100	100	400	27,100	2,600
Madsen	3,300	2,100	300	100	3,700	200	--	3,500	3,700	--	1,100
Weatherford	--	--	--	--	37,700	--	--	--	--	--	200
Gene	--	--	--	--	1,200	--	--	--	--	--	--
Foote	--	2,100	500	--	--	--	--	100	--	--	3,500
Madsen-Stephens*	3/	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Clearfirst	--	--	--	--	1,000	--	--	--	--	--	--
Tubbs	--	--	--	100	--	100	--	--	--	400	--
Madsen-Stephens-Weatherford*	--	--	--	--	1,200	--	--	--	--	--	--
Mac 1	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Malcolm	--	100	100	--	--	--	200	--	2,100	300	200
Yamhill	--	--	700	100	--	100	900	--	1,500	--	300
Madsen-Rod*	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Stephens-Weatherford*	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Rod-Stephens*	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Madsen-Weatherford*	--	--	--	--	3,700	--	--	--	--	--	200
Other mixtures*	1,200	--	--	1,000	--	--	--	100	100	--	1,100
Other varieties	--	--	300	1,300	200	1,200	--	--	--	2,400	800
Total	4,700	4,500	1,900	2,600	82,300	4,000	3,200	3,800	7,800	30,200	10,000
Soft white spring											
Alpowa	800	--	200	500	24,000	3,100	3,300	--	300	600	400
Penawawa	100	100	--	1,000	--	700	2/	--	300	200	200
Other mixtures*	--	--	--	--	200	--	--	--	--	--	--
Other varieties	300	400	300	500	500	800	700	200	300	800	400
Total	1,200	500	500	2,000	24,700	4,600	4,000	200	900	1,600	1,000
White club											
Coda	--	--	--	--	8,500	--	--	--	--	--	--
Other varieties	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Total	--	--	--	--	8,500	--	--	--	--	--	--
All white wheat	5,900	5,000	2,400	4,600	115,500	8,600	7,200	4,000	8,700	31,800	11,000
Hard red winter	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Hard red spring											
Jefferson	--	--	--	--	3,600	--	--	--	--	--	--
Yecora Rojo	--	--	--	800	--	6,900	600	--	--	--	--
Hank	--	--	--	--	--	--	600	--	--	--	--
Other varieties	100	--	--	200	300	100	200	--	200	4,000	--
Total	100	--	--	1,000	3,900	7,000	1,400	--	200	4,000	--
All red wheat	100	--	--	1,000	3,900	7,000	1,400	--	200	4,000	--
Total winter wheat	4,700	4,500	1,900	2,600	90,800	4,000	3,200	3,800	7,800	30,200	10,000
Total spring wheat	1,300	500	500	3,000	28,600	11,600	5,400	200	1,100	5,600	1,000
Total all wheat	6,000	5,000	2,400	5,600	119,400	15,600	8,600	4,000	8,900	35,800	11,000

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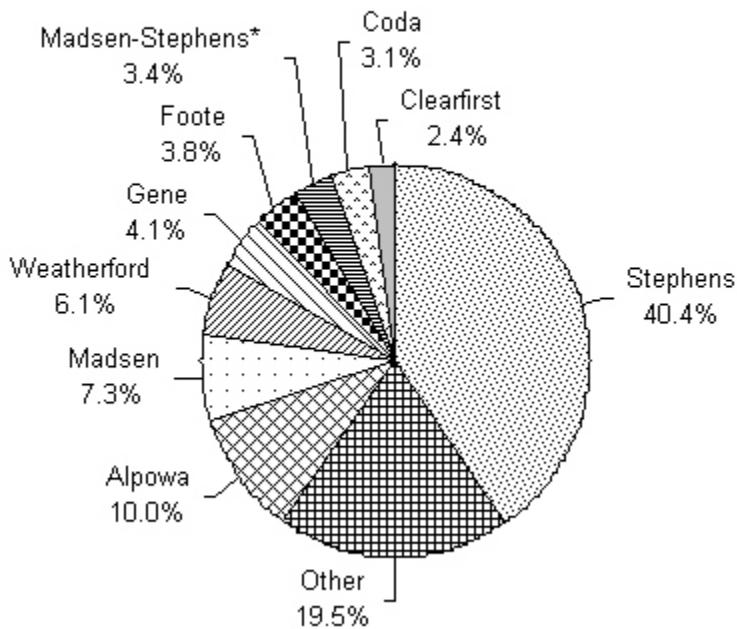
Wheat: 2004 Acres planted by variety, by county ^{1/}

Variety by class	Morrow	Multnomah	Polk	Sherman	Umatilla	Union	Wallowa	Wasco	Washington	Yamhill
Soft white winter										
Stephens	96,100	--	400	30,600	165,500	2,400	1,100	59,300	100	500
Madsen	--	--	4,300	11,400	6,500	15,900	200	9,300	3,400	7,300
Weatherford	28,300	--	--	3,500	2,300	900	--	500	--	--
Gene	26,700	--	--	9,300	7,200	500	--	--	--	--
Foote	--	1,000	2,000	--	--	100	--	--	20,600	3,100
Madsen-Stephens	9,800	--	--	18,300	2,500	100	--	--	--	--
Clearfirst	1,600	--	--	1,800	17,200	2,700	300	300	--	100
Tubbs	800	--	--	--	17,000	300	800	1,100	--	--
Madsen-Stephens-Weateford*	--	--	--	9,700	--	--	--	--	--	--
Mac 1	--	--	--	--	11,500	--	--	--	--	--
Malcolm	--	--	2,400	2/	900	1,500	400	--	200	2300
Yamhill	--	--	1,700	--	1,400	--	--	--	--	400
Madsen-Rod*	--	--	--	--	5,100	1,700	--	--	--	--
Stephens-Weatherford*	1,300	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Rod-Stephens*	--	--	--	--	6,100	--	--	--	--	--
Madsen-Weatherford*	--	--	--	1,400	500	--	--	--	--	--
Other mixtures*	4,600	--	100	3,000	1,500	1,900	400	1,000	200	600
Other varieties	400	--	100	200	4,300	2,300	1,500	--	600	300
Total	169,600	1,000	11,000	89,200	249,500	30,300	4,700	71,500	25,100	14,600
Soft white spring										
Alpowa	21,800	600	100	15,300	15,800	5,500	4,100	1,800	1,800	--
Penawawa	12,300	--	300	300	1,300	800	900	--	500	400
Other mixtures*	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	2,300	--	--
Other varieties	400	--	1,400	4,200	1,600	600	--	2,200	500	500
Total	34,500	600	1,800	19,800	18,700	6,900	5,000	6,300	2,800	900
White club										
Coda	2,300	--	--	4,900	15,200	--	--	1,300	--	--
Other varieties	--	--	--	1,200	3,500	--	200	3,300	--	--
Total	2,300	--	--	6,100	18,700	--	200	4,600	--	--
All white wheat	206,400	1,600	12,800	115,100	286,900	37,200	9,900	82,400	27,900	15,500
Hard red winter	800	--	--	--	3,900	--	--	--	--	--
Hard red spring										
Jefferson	2,500	--	--	--	1,000	--	3,700	--	--	--
Yecora Rojo	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	600	--	--
Hank	--	--	--	--	3,700	--	--	--	--	--
Other varieties	3,100	--	--	2,600	2,500	500	500	--	--	--
Total	5,600	--	--	2,600	7,200	500	4,200	600	--	--
All red wheat	6,400	--	--	2,600	11,100	500	4,200	600	--	--
Total winter wheat	170,400	1,000	11,000	95,300	272,100	30,300	4,700	76,100	25,100	14,600
Total spring wheat	42,400	600	1,800	22,400	25,900	7,400	9,400	6,900	2,800	900
Total all wheat	212,800	1,600	12,800	117,700	298,000	37,700	14,100	83,000	27,900	15,500

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Oregon wheat varieties - 2003 and 2004 ^{1/}

Variety by Class	% of All Wheat		Planted Acres		2004 PLANTED ACRES BY DISTRICT ^{2/}				
	2003	2004	2003	2004	NW	NC	NE	SW	SE
Soft white winter									
Stephens	44.3	40.4	491,900	424,200	4,600	215,800	170,900	900	32,000
Madsen	7.3	7.3	81,400	77,100	22,800	28,600	25,300	100	300
Weatherford	6.1	6.1	68,000	63,700	200	60,400	3,100	--	--
Gene	6.8	4.1	75,500	42,700	500	34,600	7,600	--	--
Foote	2.3	3.8	25,500	39,600	38,800	--	100	700	--
Madsen-Stephens*	4.1	3.4	45,600	35,600	--	31,300	4,300	--	--
Clearfirst	--	2.4	--	24,700	100	4,900	19,700	--	--
Tubbs	--	2.0	--	20,800	--	2,000	18,200	--	600
Madsen-Stephens-Weatherford*	4.0	1.3	44,000	13,500	--	13,500	--	--	--
Mac 1	1.2	1.1	13,500	11,600	--	--	11,600	--	--
Malcolm	0.6	0.8	6,500	8,200	4,800	300	2,600	--	500
Yamhill	0.3	0.7	3400.0	7,000	3,000	--	1,400	1,100	1,500
Madsen-Rod*	1.1	0.6	11,700	6,500	--	--	6,500	--	--
Stephens-Weatherford*	1.1	0.6	12,500	6,400	--	6,400	--	--	--
Rod-Stephens*	0.3	0.6	3,700	6,100	--	--	6,100	--	--
Madsen-Weatherford*	0.3	0.6	3,600	5800	300	5,000	500.0	--	--
Rod	0.4	0.3	4,100	3,100	--	--	2,800	--	300
Madsen-Stephens-Tubbs*	--	0.2	--	2,500	--	2,500	--	--	--
Brundage	0.2	0.2	1800.0	2,500	200	--	--	--	2,300
Basin	0.2	0.2	2,500	2,300	500	--	200	--	1,600
Gene-Madsen-Stephens*	0.1	0.2	1,400	2,100	--	2,100	--	--	--
Madsen-Malcom*	--	0.2	--	1,800	--	1,800	--	--	--
MacVicar	0.3	0.2	3,800	1,700	200	--	1,500	--	--
Rod-Weatherford*	3/	0.1	3,800	1,500	--	--	1,500	--	--
Hill 81	0.2	0.1	1,800	1,400	1,100	--	300	--	--
ORCF 101 (OSU Clearfield)	--	0.1	--	1,400	200	200	1,000	--	--
Other mixtures	1.2	0.6	14,100	7,000	2,600	2,300	2,100	--	--
Other varieties	1.0	0.4	9,500	3,200	100	300	1,800	200	800
Total	83.5	78.5	929,600	824,000	80,000	412,000	289,100	3,000	39,900
Soft white spring									
Alpowa	5.8	10.0	64,600	104,700	4,200	61,500	27,300	--	11,700
Penawawa	2.8	2.2	30,700	23,500	1,700	16,800	3,100	500	1,400
Zak	0.6	0.5	7,100	4,800	--	3,000	1,800	--	--
Twin	0.1	0.4	1,500	3,800	500	1,800	1,000	--	500
Dirkwin	0.2	0.3	2,100	3,500	2,700	600	100	--	100
Other mixtures	--	0.1	--	1,300	--	1,300	--	--	--
Other varieties	0.3	0.3	3,600	3,000	300	--	400	--	2,300
Total	9.8	13.8	109,600	144,600	9,400	85,000	33,700	500	16,000
White club									
Coda	1.8	3.1	19,500	32,300	--	17,000	15,300	--	--
Temple	0.4	0.4	4,100	4,600	--	1,000	3,500	--	100
Hiller	--	0.2	200	1,700	--	1,700	--	--	--
Rohde	0.5	0.1	6,100	1,400	--	1,400	--	--	--
Crew	0.1	0.1	1,000	1,200	--	1,200	--	--	--
Other varieties	0.1	1,300	200	--	--	200	--	--	--
Total	2.9	3.9	32,200	41,400	--	22,300	19,000	--	100
All White Wheat	96.2	96.2	1,071,400	1,010,000	89,400	519,300	341,800	3,500	56,000

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4/ Less than 0.1 percent.

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Oregon wheat varieties - 2003 and 2004 ^{1/} (continued)

Variety by Class	% of All Wheat		Planted Acres		2004 PLANTED ACRES BY DISTRICT 2/				
	2003	2004	2003	2004	NW	NC	NE	SW	SE
Hard red winter									
Buchanan	--	0.4	--	3,700	--	--	3,700	--	--
Weston	--	0.1	--	700	--	700	--	--	--
Other varieties	0.7	4/	8,200	200	--	--	200	--	--
Total	0.7	0.5	8,200	4,600	--	700	3,900	--	--
Hard red spring									
Jefferson	0.4	0.9	4,400	9,500	--	6,200	3,300	--	--
Yecora Rojo	0.4	0.6	4,000	6,800	--	300	100	--	6,400
Hank	0.2	0.5	1,900	5,000	--	--	3,500	--	1,500
Westbred 926	0.5	0.4	5,700	4,500	--	4,200	200	--	100
Westbred 936	0.1	0.3	800	2,700	--	--	--	--	2,700
Express	0.9	0.2	10,300	2,200	--	200	1,900	--	100
Scarletd	0.1	0.2	800	2,000	--	600	1,400	--	--
Zeke	0.1	0.1	1,300	1,500	--	1,500	--	--	--
Other varieties	0.1	0.1	1,300	1,500	--	1,500	--	--	--
Total	2.8	3.3	30,200	34,600	100	13,000	10,500	--	11,000
All Red Wheat	3.5	3.8	38,400	39,200	100	13,700	14,400	--	11,000
Winter Wheat	87.4	82.9	970,000	870,000	80,000	435,000	312,000	3,000	40,000
Spring Wheat	12.6	17.1	140,000	180,000	9,500	98,000	45,000	500	27,000
All Wheat	100.0	100.0	1,110,000	1,050,000	89,500	533,000	357,000	3,500	67,000

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